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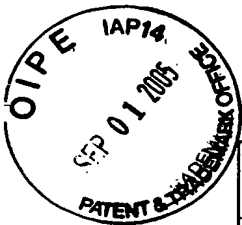
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Applicant(s): Dobbs et al.

Invention: A PLATE-TYPE HEAT EXCHANGER

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Applicant: Dobbs et al.

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 25, 2005, please enter in the above-captioned patent application the Amendments presented herein. Applicants believe that no fees are due on account of the submission of this paper. However, if Applicants are incorrect and fees in a different amount are due, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or to make any refund of an overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0289.

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.